REMARKS

The amendments to the claims provided above is a replacement section to replace the

prior non-conforming amendment. In the amendments to the claims, Applicant indicates that

claims 1-31 are canceled.

In light of (i) the above amendments and remarks and (ii) the arguments made in the

June 26, 2009 response, Applicant submits that the present application is in condition for

allowance and respectfully requests notice to this effect. Should the Examiner wish to discuss

this case with the undersigned, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (312) 913-

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Respectfully submitted.

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